

Wow! April was quite a busy month at Muir's Chapel! In addition to all of the wonderful Holy Week Services, we were host to a multitude of joyous gatherings, some of which we share with you on the inside pages of this month's Voice.

Special thanks to Kim Hastings for running our Easter Egg Hunt during Courtney's maternity leave!







On March 26th Zona hosted an event for our Senior Saints, along with the Annie Kincaid United Women In Faith Circle called "Lunch with a Little Luck!" All enjoyed a great lunch, games, prizes and friendship in Christ!

If you haven't attended one of these gatherings, do so next time, it's a TON of fun!



Guilford West Missional Network Lenten Lunch series was such a wonderful 7 weeks of worship and fellowship. Thank you to all who participated and volunteered. We all were blessed and feed spiritually and physically. Through the love of offerings we were able to send **\$2,586.77** to World Relief. Please receive these words of appreciation from them.

*This is fantastic news!  
We are incredibly grateful for your support and partnership with us in this work right now as we care for numerous refugee families in our community in need of critical aid and services. With your help, we are better positioned to care for them well, both in their immediate needs and over the long-term as they move toward self-sufficiency. Thank you so much for your dedication to caring for our new neighbors! Peace,  
Jon Musser, World Relief Triad*





A few weeks back our beautiful Altar flowers were dedicated to Penny Davis and Susan Bowden-two of Muir's Chapel's loving congregational members who live at TerraBella's Assisted Living Facility. For years these women have faithfully stayed in touch by reaching out to our members through their cards and letters.

Pictured here is Penny, along with the flowers from the Altar, and Rames her cat. It was a beautiful tribute and so very much appreciated as a showing of love through remembrance.



Please keep these ladies, as well as the others on our congregational care list, in your daily prayers. They also love to hear from you!

## GIFTS TO THE CHURCH

**In Honor of: James Knight for the Budget,**  
 "For so many people he helps at Muir's Chapel and beyond! With a smile on his face and a prayer in his heart, thank you James!  
 Love, Maxie Hinshaw

**In Honor of: Goober Benfield, For the Youth Missions Fund,**  
 "For all he does for our church."  
 From, Judy Thomas

**In Memory of: Jackie & Howard Sullivan, for the Good Samaritan Fund, from:**  
 Boots Wood

**In Memory of: Ed Holden, for the Cemetery Fund, from:**  
 Archie Morris

**In Memory of: Ed Holden, for the Budget, from:**  
 The Fellowship Class

**In Memory of: Hollyce Kirkland, for the budget, from:**  
 An Anonymous Giver



Did you know that for almost 10 years Muir's Chapel's ladies have met once a month, faithfully, to make packaged lunches for the Interactive Resource Center of Greensboro? Sue Sciabbarrasi, Donna Maness, Amy Seals, Penny Partido, Lynn Southard, Barbara Mueller, Rosemary Post, Karen Holmes, Kacy Pope, Adrienne Maynard, and Zona Ridout are some of the ladies that Bonnie Kristoff has successfully coordinated from the get go, with the purpose of serving our community, thank you ladies!

## OFFERING

### March 30th

Budget Giving	\$2781.00
Designated Funds	\$800.00
Total Giving	\$3581.00

### April 6th

Budget Giving	\$4984.77
Designated Funds	\$470.00
Total Giving	\$5454.77

### April 13th

Budget Giving	\$23,503.00
Designated Funds	\$280.00
Total Giving	\$23,783.00

### April 20th

Budget Giving	\$5129.00
Designated Funds	\$380.00
Total Giving	\$5684.00

### April 27th

Budget Giving	\$2932.00
Designated Funds	\$1678.13
Total Giving	\$4610.13

Rev. Michael Flack, *Senior Pastor*  
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**MAY**

**BIRTHDAYS**

		Anthony Burkhardt	05/12	William Scott	05/23
		Lisa Smith	05/13	Noah Williams	05/24
Mel Hurliman	05/02	Zach Alexander	05/13	Cara Brielle Oakes	05/24
Cathy Oakes	05/03	Don Newman	05/13	Bo King	05/25
Keith Butler	05/04	Landry Tsujii	05/15	John Sutherland	05/25
Brook Dove	05/04	Tina Cao	05/15	Iva Sanford	05/25
Miranda Peascoe	05/04	Jetta Orr	05/16	Austin Bason	05/26
Rosemary Post	05/05	Briauna Catoe	05/16	Linda Price	05/26
Lincoln Coble	05/05	Grayson Williams	05/15	Tim Tsujii	05/26
Jessica Warner	05/05	Susan Lowe	05/17	John Davis	05/28
Emily Flynt	05/05	Judy Thomas	05/18	Robert Dix	05/28
Nicholas Nottage	05/06	Chris Whiting	05/18	Bill Smith	05/28
Andy Cudworth	05/08	Laura Flack	05/19	Bailey Sanford	05/29
Debbie Jennings	05/09	Elizabeth Lynch	05/19	Neceva Davis	05/30
Bob Williams	05/09	Amy Freyberger	05/20	Jordan Jennings	05/30
Alison Ripple	05/09	Susan Savovic	05/20	Jamey Ollis	05/30
Stella Pleasants	05/10	Holly Mitchell	05/21	Egan Conrad	05/30
Thomas Transou	05/11	Lori Escalera	05/21	Brandon Tapp	05/30
Katelyn Waggy	05/11	Evelyn Foster	05/23	Phyllis Smith	05/30
Toni Brower	05/11	Austin Love	05/23	Stephanie Bason	05/30
Steven Scopel	05/12	Walter Mueller	05/23	Michael Daniels	05/31



*Our sincere Christian sympathy is extended to the family of Ed Holden, who passed away on April 14, 2025.*

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Please remember that our Youth are taking on odd jobs, *or donations*, to raise money for their mission trip this summer. Give Goober a call if you can help them out.

On June 1st we will have a luncheon meeting after the 10:30 am service to present the findings of the Wesley CDC, a community development group, about the stewardship of our resources.